

**Inez Shelby-Bell.**

Death has again visited this community and this time has taken from our midst the beloved wife of Jasper S. Bell. What makes her death more sad is that only about three weeks since she gave birth to a baby boy at the hospital in David City. For some time afterwards she didn't seem to get along well as was expected; but was feeling better and on Friday morning last, November 21, she was laughing and joking with her attendants in the hospital and was planning for her return to Bellwood, when, without even giving her husband a chance to reach her, she suddenly expired, a clot of blood in the heart seemingly the cause. Deceased was born August 30, 1888, in Lexington, Missouri. She was married to Jasper S. Bell of Bellwood, November 27, 1909, at Lexington, Missouri. A little daughter, Marjorie, and infant son survive her. What made her death still more sad, was that on the day of her death her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby, arrived on the evening train in Bellwood, from Lexington with the expectation of visiting a few weeks with their daughter and son-in-law and when the sad news of their daughter's death was mentioned their hearts were stung as with a dagger. She also leaves a brother, Albert M. Shelby, who resides in Long Beach, California, and who was present at her funeral. James J. Roberts of Long Beach, California, a brother-in-law, was also present. Deceased was formerly connected with the Christian church at Lexington, Missouri. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Bell, conducted by Rev. J. W. Waits, of Grand Island, formerly pastor of the Bellwood M. E. church. A quartette from David City, consisting of Mrs. Ed. Hall, Mrs. L. C. Harris, Dr. Sturdevant and Mr. Rosenstock who are old friends of the family, sang "Remember Now Try Creator," "Sometime We'll Understand" and "Near to the Heart of God." Mrs. Arthur Davenport presided at the piano. The floral trib-

utes of love and respect for the departed one, were many and beautiful. On Thursday morning her body was taken by train to Lincoln and placed in a vault in Wyuka cemetery. Husband, children and parents have the sympathy of this entire community. —Bellwood (Nebr.) Gazette.

The body of the deceased accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Shelby together with Mr. Bell and his little family, will be taken to Long Beach, Calif., for burial. They start Saturday.

**Death of Isaac N. Hulver.**

Isaac N. Hulver, an old and highly respected citizen of this county, died at his home east of Lexington, Friday evening at 5 o'clock.

Mr. Hulver was born in West Virginia, June 18, 1840, and came to this county in 1870. During the same year he was united in marriage to Miss Janette Frye, who died about twenty years ago.

The deceased is survived by five sons and two daughters, Ed, George, Harvey, Homer, and Frank Hulver; Mrs. Wallace Boogher and Mrs. Wm. Glasscock, all of this county. One brother and one sister living in West Virginia, also survive.

The funeral service conducted by Rev. J. E. Alexander was held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Chapter Elects Officers.**

Lexington Chapter No. 10 R. A. M., at its regular meeting Tuesday night elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

G. I. Morrison, H. P.  
Dr. C. W. Johnson, King.  
C. B. Waddell, Scribe.  
J. R. Moorehead, Jr., C. of H.  
W. T. Wernwag, P. S.  
J. R. Vaughn, R. A. C.  
J. E. Dixon, M. of 3rd Veil.  
J. K. Leiter, M. of 2nd Veil.  
Wm. H. Cohrs, M. 1st Veil.  
J. C. Shelton, Treasurer.  
Dr. W. R. Ekle, Secretary.  
W. A. Dunford, Sentinel.

**Coldest November in 8 Years.**

Mr. Keithly informs us that November just passed was the coldest in eight years; and the second coldest in twenty years.

**John R. Pinkerton.**

John Ryland Pinkerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pinkerton, of Hillsboro, died at the family home on West Main Street, Sunday morning, Nov. 16, 1919, after an illness of a week. He was born at Greeley, Nebraska, Jan. 2, 1904, and with parents came to Hillsboro in 1915. He is survived by his parents and two brothers, Harold, aged 13, and Duane, aged 8, and a sister, Cornelia, aged 11.

His father is the Western Union operator at the city station, Southern Pacific.

He was a popular youth, ambitious beyond his strength, and had a host of friends in the city. For several months prior to entering school this fall, he worked for the Reynolds & Parks grocery, and about three weeks ago was appointed to handle the evening Journal in this city.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon, at 2:30, from the M. E. Church, Rev. Walton Skipworth conducting the services, with Undertaker Limber in charge. There was a profusion of flowers, indicative of the high esteem in which the High School student was held by the High School. The pall bearers were classmates.

Rarely was it the lot of a young man to have so high regard in his community, and one who was close to him in his school work has written the following eulogy on his life:

"Altho John Ryland Pinkerton had lived in Hillsboro only a portion of his short life, he had endeared himself to all with whom he had come in contact. All his friends, and all his teachers, have nothing but words of praise for the lad who so short a time ago, was a part of their busy life. And how vital a part of that life he was they are just beginning to realize; for the since a serious illness two years ago, he has been unable to participate actively in some of the school affairs, yet so great was his interest in them, and so complete was his classmates' confidence in him, that he had been elected to positions of trust and importance, not only in his own, the Junior Class at school, but in nearly every phase of school activities, and he had never failed to carry out their duties in a successful manner.

He was exceptionally remarkable in his school work and had every promise for a brilliant and successful career, but more than this, he had the qualities which make for friendship and trust.

He leaves a host of friends, both old and young, to grieve and wonder at his untimely death.

His life with us was indeed short, but his memory shall live long in the hearts of those who loved him.—Reprinted from a Hillsboro paper.

The deceased was a grandson of Judge Xenophon Ryland of Higginsville.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to thank most sincerely all those who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement—friends, neighbors—all have our deepest gratitude for the manner in which you assisted us during the illness and burial of our beloved father, Isaac Hulver.

**The Family.**

G. H. Schmidt returned Sunday night from an extended trip to the Pacific coast.

**Criminal Court.**

The December term of the criminal court convened Monday morning with Judge John A. Rich presiding.

James Gracey pled guilty to highway robber and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Gracey with three others robbed a man last Friday night above Myrick. The other men were released.

L. W. Antrobus plead guilty to forgery. He was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and paroled.

**Wedding Announcement.**

Mrs. Irene M. Bailey announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Irene, to Mr. Albert Geyer Loomis, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, St. Louis. At home 806 South Third Street, Champaign, Ill.

Mr. Loomis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Loomis of this city, and is a professor in the University of Illinois.

**Change in Barber Business.**

J. E. Rusk, who has been operating a barber shop on Franklin avenue, has bought the shop on Main owned by A. H. Kemner and operated under lease by Chas. Lang. Mr. Rusk took possession Wednesday morning. His shop on Franklin will continue in operation until the first of the year, in charge of Otis Orcutt.

**Bradley Taken Back to K. C.**

James Bradley, who was brought to Lexington Tuesday morning to be arraigned in the criminal court on the charge of murdering Sheriff Talbott and his two deputies, was taken back to Kansas City in the evening via the C. & A. The conditions here were thought to be unsuitable for Bradley's peace and happiness.

**Chas. Scott Steals Coal.**

Chas. Scott, colored, was arrested Saturday night in the act of stealing coal from Thompson & Holleron's coal shed on the alley back of the pool hall. Scott seems to live a charmed life. He has been arrested for all manner of petty crimes, yet he is permitted to go on and on. Why?

**County Court.**

The county court in regular December term appointed Wm. H. Hancock, colored, janitor to succeed P. W. Thompson whose term will expire January 1st.

C. Q. Kinkead was re-appointed superintendent of the poor farm.

**Marriage License.**

A marriage license has been issued to the following:  
August H. K. Fiegenbaum Higginsville  
Lydia E. Werges Hawk Point  
Christopher C. Murry Napoleon  
Sadie S. S. Looney Odessa

Harry Day, who is attending the University, returned Sunday morning to Columbia, after a few days' visit with his parents, Maj. and Mrs. F. A. Day.

T. J. Tucker of Sedan, Kansas, arrived yesterday morning to join his wife and little daughter, who are visiting at the home of C. L. Glasscock.

Mrs. D. W. Sherman and little daughter, Elizabeth Lee, went to Marshall Thursday morning for a visit.

Monroe F. Butler of Kansas City, spent Sunday in Lexington.



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The sale of Red Cross Christmas seals, opened on December 1, will be enlivened this year by the opportunity given to purchasers to buy "Health Bonds" along with the gay little stamps which carry their message of helpfulness on letters and parcels.

The National Tuberculosis Association, which, in conjunction with state and city association, is conducting the sale, the proceeds of which go to stamp out tuberculosis in this county, is offering 650,000,000 of these seals. More than 35,000,000 will be sold in Missouri. This is at the rate of ten seals per capita.

It is not expected that buyers will stop with ten seals. Business houses will use them on their mail; public utilities on their bills. Hotels will paste them on their menus; department stores will imprint them on each package wrapped.

Many individuals will give more money than can be represented in stamps for their personal use. To these, "health bonds" are offered as a substitute. For example one who gives \$50 and does not wish 5000 seals may take a bond for that amount. Bonds of \$5, \$10, and up may be purchased.

These bonds were put on sale December first.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Evans and two sons, Richard and Frederick, of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Turpin and Hubert Field of Kansas City, spent Thanksgiving with the family of Judge Richard Field.

Mrs. J. R. Vaughan went to Kansas City Monday morning to enter the Wesley Hospital to undergo an operation. She was accompanied by her husband and father, C. M. Peters, of Dayton, Ky.

Mrs. G. D. Mallonee of Wichita, Kansas, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Pauline, arrived Thursday evening to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Doris Schawe.

Lieut. Irvin Morris, U. S. A., accompanied by his wife arrived Wednesday from Camp Taylor to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Morris, and other relatives.

Miss Jessie Buellens returned to Chillicothe Sunday evening to resume her studies in the Chillicothe Business College, after a few days' visit with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. Laurence G. Peak of Salt Lake City, Utah, arrived Tuesday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. Peak's mother, Mrs. James M. Peak.

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